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SUBJECT: SOVIET AIRLIFT AND IRAQI AID TO SOMALIA

REF: A) 77 STATE 297314; B) STATE 4155; C) BAGHDAD 0074

1. SOVIET AIRLIFT UTILIZING IRAQI AIR SPACE AND LANDING PRIVILEGES IN BAGHDAD FOR FLIGHTS WITH ADDIS ABABA AS ULTIMATE DESTINATION CONTINUES.

2. THE NUMBER OF FLIGHTS IN THE SOVIET AIRLIFT SINCE THE FIRST OF THE YEAR IS CONSIDERABLY LESS THAN PREVIOUS PERIOD.
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SPORADIC NATURE OF FLIGHTS MAKES THIS SIMILAR TO ANGOLA AIRLIFT. WE BELIEVE FREQUENCY OF FLIGHTS IS RESPONSIVE TO THE NEEDS AT THE POINT OF DESTINATION.

3. RE PARA 2 REFTEL C IN LIGHT OF ABOVE WASHINGTON POST STORY MISLEADING. CHRISTOPHER

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